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Franklin Junior High School is now completing its third consecutive year as a junior high. Mr. Joseph Plasket, our principal, along with Mr. Devon Mathias, our staff assistant, has done a fine job of conducting our entire school and its activities. Our faculty, consisting of thirty-five members, has widened our knowledge in many ways. Our school always appears neat and clean as a result of the work of our custodians, and our office always runs efficiently as a result of our office personnel.

The students of Franklin Junior High are very proud to be a part of this school for their three years of education at the junior high school level.



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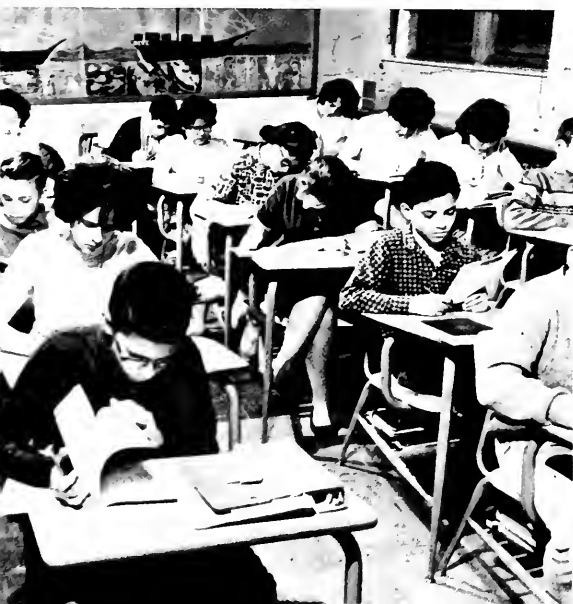


Students look forward to a quiet study hall where they can concentrate on their studies. Most ninth grade students have a study hall at least every

other day. To some students, study hall is valuable time for last minute homework and review of notes for the day's classes.

Students Enjoy Participating in Various

Students in the seventh grade developmental reading classes learn to read with greater speed and comprehension.



Never before in the history of public schools has the need for a quality education been as important as it is today. Because of the rapid changes which are taking place in our industries, economy, and technical fields, the requirements for being successful are extremely great.

There is little doubt that our studies are important at Franklin, for our teachers see that we achieve the greatest benefits from the different subjects. Whether it's solving an algebra problem or learning to write or speak effectively, our teachers are always there guiding us to another challenging plateau.

What we have studied at Franklin, along with the many activities offered after school, has indeed prepared us not only for the future but has also showed us how to live today in today's world.



Much hard labor and skill have gone into preparing the Franklin Kite'n Key. These boys, Jim Moore and Pete Spangler, have used their talent in art to design this year's cover.



Boys in the shop classes spend many hours to develop their skills in craftsmanship. They learn the various parts of different machines as well as how to use them in the future.

Classes, Clubs in a School Day

Students in art classes have fun making different masks and puppets. They also have been creative with clay in forming many different shapes. Mrs.



Lillian Goodwin teaches all the daily art classes which include many different art skills and the study of art literature.



Hard Work Leads to Success For Future Life



Two students study parts of the body through the use of a device called a human torso. Students learn the names of the parts of the body as well as how they function.



Girls take part as the basketball season comes in. The girls as well as the boys learn and abide by the rules of the game. The girls have much ambition as well as enthusiasm.



Students have many chances to express their ideas in English class, such as, in a speech. Much work is required for a speech so it will be interesting and informative.

The faculty members are a very important part of Franklin Junior High. They are responsible for teaching the students the various subjects offered, and they always encourage students to think critically. The teachers are also the sponsors of the various extra-curricular activities at Franklin. The teachers take interest in each student so that he will be able to achieve to the best of his ability and succeed in his work.

Together, the faculty members have helped greatly in making this year at Franklin exciting and successful.



Teachers Lead Us Through Academic Year

Faculty Members of Franklin Help Students



Through the year our principal, Mr. Joseph Plasket, supervises school activities, plans student programs, and promotes better school life.

Two important jobs in every school are those of the principal and of the staff assistant. This past year our principal, Mr. Joseph Plasket, and our staff assistant, Mr. Devon Mathias, have worked to the goal of improving the education of Franklin's students.

Mr. Plasket has shown a keen interest in keeping our academic standards high. During the past year, he has attended several principals' conferences and returned with renewed enthusiasm and new ideas for our school. He has worked with teachers to see that students are always in the class in which they would have the best learning situation.



The staff assistant, Mr. Devon Mathias, serves as a guidance director. This year he has concentrated on developing an effective homeroom guidance program and has provided many materials for teachers to use in this area.



As Mr. Plasket talks to students, he may learn about their problems or open their minds to a new phase of learning in school. By spending a few moments with a student, he learns to know each of the students better.

Cultivate Their Interests in Classroom Activities



JANE ANDERSON
 Librarian
 B.S., University of Alabama
 Enjoys reading, swimming, cooking

CHARLES AULT
 Social Studies
 B.S., Defiance College
 Sports enthusiast

NANCY BAUMAN
 Home Economics, Mathematics
 A.B., Ball State, Olivet, Indiana U.
 Enjoys music, art



DOROTHY BRUICK
 Study Hall
 Sewing, knitting, watching sports

GEORGIA CHANDLER
 Dev. Language, Lang. Arts, Latin
 B. Ed., Southern Illinois University
 Finds time to read and enter contests

MARY ALICE DICK
 Developmental Lan., Language Arts
 B.S., Manchester College
 Enjoys music, scrapbooks



LOWELL DOHERTY
 Science
 B.S., Indiana, Purdue, M.N.S., Arizona State
 Interests include traveling, photography, geology

MARY GLEN FLEMING
 Vocal music, chorus
 B.S., Texas Women's University
 Enjoys bowling, camping, reading

PHILIP GINDER
 Science, Mathematics
 B.S., Ball State
 Interested in sports, current events



LILLIAN GOODWIN
 Art
 B.S., Ball State
 Hobbies include gardening, antiques

HARRY HINES
 Social Studies, Orientation
 A.B., Valparaiso Univ., M.S., St. Francis
 Enjoys fishing, swimming, traveling

M. F. (BOB) HOPKINS
 Music, Band, Orchestra
 B.S., Manchester College, M.S., Indiana University
 Enjoys golfing, sports, stereo

Teachers Guide Students Throughout School Day



MELVIN KRUECKEBERG

General Shop

B.S., Ball State

Interests include reading, building

RONALD KUHN

Mathematics, Algebra

A.B., Manchester College

Enjoys magic, traveling

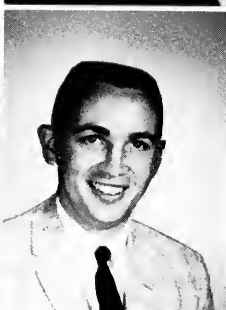
DWAIN LANGE

Biology, General Science

B.S., Huntington College, M.S.,

Univ. of Cincinnati

Hobbies are hunting, fishing, sports



AMY MILLER

Physical Education, Mathematics,

Health

B.S., Indiana University

Enjoys camping, sailing, traveling

RUTH MINSEL

Language Arts, Developmental

Reading

B.S., Ball State, M.S., University of

Wisconsin

Interests include music, golfing,

reading

JAMES OVERMYER

Biology, General Science

B.S., Manchester College

Interested in sports, science



CARROLL PHILLIPS

Social Studies

B.S., M.S., Indiana University

Interests include reading, traveling, teachers' associations

PAUL PIEPENBRINK

Home Arts, Mathematics, General

Shop

B.S., Indiana Tech, Indiana Univ.,

Ball State

Enjoys boating, water skiing, hi-fi

CAROLYN POLHAMUS

Language Arts, Developmental

Reading

A.B., University of Michigan

Hobbies are music, birds



CARL REIBS

Mathematics

B.S., M.S., Wittenberg University

Enjoys music, reading

DAVID RILEY

Physical Education, Mathematics

B.S., Ball State

Enjoys sports, golfing, coaching

CAROL ROHRABAUGH

Language Arts, Developmental

Language

A.B., Heidelberg College

Interests include music, traveling, reading

Teachers Bowl After A Hard Day's Work



MADGE SCHONE
Physical Education, Language Arts
B.S., Illinois Univ., M.S., Indiana Univ.

Hobbies include sports, crafts
ELIZABETH SHANER
Biology, General Science
A.B., Indiana University, M.S., Columbia Univ.

Likes to eat, paint, garden
ELEANOR SHAW
French, Language Arts
B.S., University of So. Mississippi
Enjoys sports, music, art



DONNA SPRINGER
Spanish, Language Arts
A.B., Indiana University
Enjoys golfing, reading, gardening, bridge

ROY STUART
Language Arts
B.S., Indiana University, Ball State
Interested in sports, reading, musical dramas

DON WEAVER
Mathematics, Algebra
B.S., Tri-State College, M.S., Indiana
Interested in Air Force Reserve, hunting, fishing



ZOA WHEATON
Special Education, M2
A.B., Alma College
Interested in antiques

MARGARET WIGGS
Language Arts
A.B., Ball State, M.S., Indiana University
Enjoys reading, traveling, gardening

WILLIAM WILLER
Social Studies
B.S., Purdue, A.B., University of Louisville
Interests include gardening, history, science



DELMAS YOUNG
General Mathematics, Algebra
A.B., M.A., Indiana University
Interests include bees, gardening, fishing

MELVIN ZEHNER
Health and Safety, Physical Education
B.S., Purdue University
Enjoys music, sports

Personnel Help Franklin To Be Successful



The office of Franklin is run smoothly by the two secretaries, Mrs. Evelyn Pelz and Mrs. Eileen Werling. Doing bookwork, greeting visitors, solving



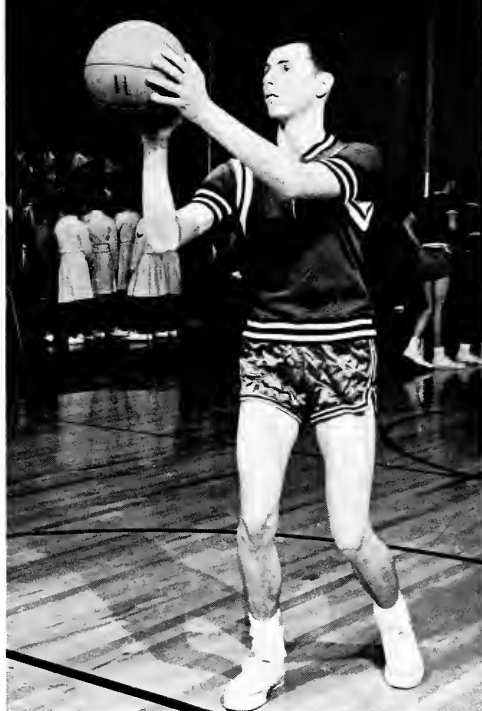
small and large problems which arise, and all other office work keep our smiling secretaries quite busy during the school year.

Franklin is kept clean and always looks its best because the custodians and the matron, Wayne Polly, Carl Dawney, John Isnogle, Malcolm Mitchell, and Louise Strall, do a fine job.



The ladies who prepare our daily meals are Lavern Evans, Jean Baumgartner, Ruth Brennan, Elsie Ecenbarger, Ester Helmke, Helen Henry, Virginia Hopper, and Vivian Starkel.

The year 1964 has been a good year for sports at Franklin Junior High. Many boys have participated this year in football, cross country, basketball, and track. In each of these sports the goal was always the same—not only to try to win but to learn how to work as a team. Whatever the sport, the boys have all learned new skills and made new friends. This year Franklin won the city cross country meet, and the eighth grade basketball team had many victories during the season, including playing in the final game of the eighth-grade basketball tournament.



Sports Activities Rate High With Students

Chiefs Fight For Victory On The Turf



Three words commonly heard on the football field were Go! Fight! Win! as the students urged the varsity football team on during a hard-fought foot-

ball season. These are the boys who played during the 1963 season. Hamilton Park was the scene of the home games.

This year Franklin's ninth grade football team worked hard and played with great determination. They were coached by Mr. Melvin Zehner who was assisted by Mr. David Riley. The ninth graders, along with the eighth grade boys, practiced four nights a week at Hamilton Park. The season's luck

was not entirely with the team, but their spirit never dwindled and they continued to fight at all times.

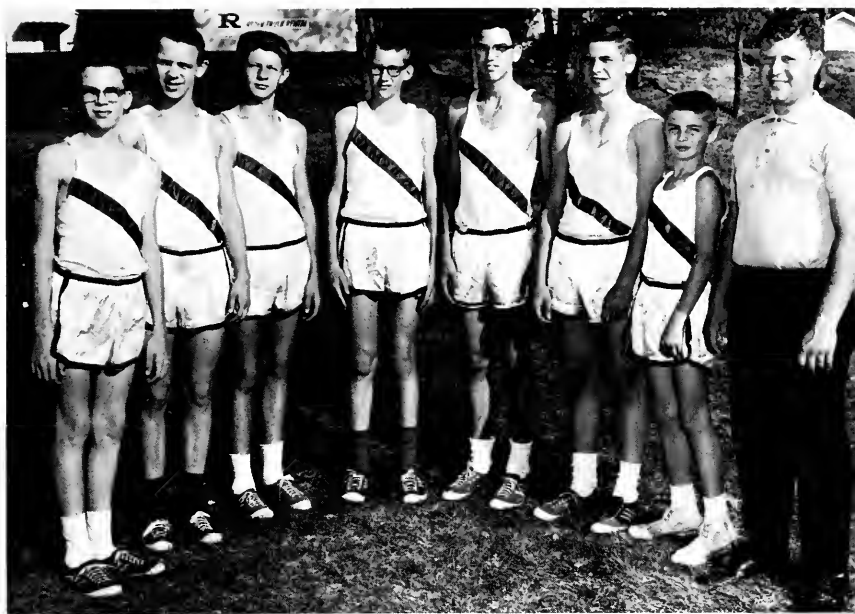
These boys gave up much valuable time and effort in their dedication to Franklin, and they deserve great praise and thanks for a job well done.

Tackles and blocking were two important parts of the football games, and long practices and exercises prepared the boys for the games.



Most varsity members are ninth grade boys who have already learned the fundamentals of the game for future participation in high school athletics

These boys worked hard practicing for the cross country meets. Their biggest thrill was winning the city cross country meet.



Team Wins Second Championship Title



The Booster Club, new to Franklin this year, was a great success. Their cheering led the crowds in spirited yells.

The cross country team this year has done a great job participating in their various running events. These boys have put forth great efforts for their team and worked hard toward the climax of the season, which was the running of the city meet. Mr. David Riley, their coach, helped the team to success.

The Booster Club is a newly organized group this year which helps the cheerleaders make their cheers more effective. The club has quite a few members, both boys and girls. Kathy Cook and Susie Minyard, the leaders of the group, helped to organize the Booster Club in its first year.

Basketball Games Prove Exciting for Spectators

This year thirteen of Franklin's boys practiced and played basketball on the floors of our junior high schools. They were Kim Drudge, Andy Shepelak, Greg Kinsey, Bob Peck, Gilbert Hardesty, Bill Cantrell, Ron Longley, Barry Clark, Howard Herendeen, Terry Simpson, Jerry Baugher, Jerry Yoder, and Jim Betts. Although they put a great amount of effort and time into basketball, their first interest remained their scholastic achievements.

Every school night these boys practiced in the gymnasium in hard practices. Our team played hard and continually gained spirit during the hard-fought season. The team was assisted greatly by enthusiastic home game crowds and their hard working managers, Al Crawford and Bill Beckman.

The team worked under the fine supervision of Mr. Riley. Our team members were good sports who were satisfied after all of their games, win or lose, because they had played their best.



The boys on our basketball team are shown in one of their home contests with Fairfield. The boys began the season slowly, but soon showed the fans at Franklin how well they could play.



These boys are the 1963-64 ninth grade basketball team. They worked hard and long, and the Franklin students could always be proud of their team as

they represented them at the various junior high schools of the city during each game of this year's basketball season.

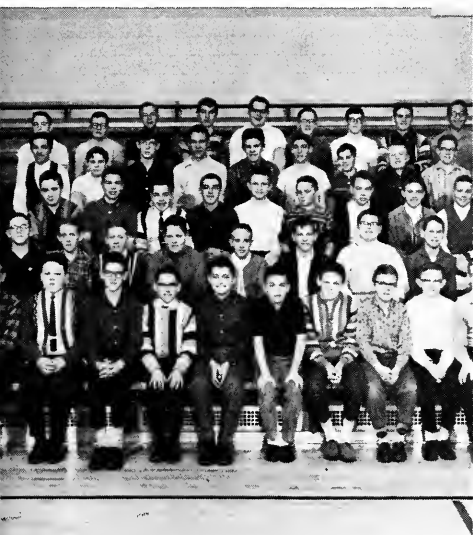


One can almost hear the excited crowd as they watch and cheer during a close game in the gymnasium. The cheering, clapping of hands, and stomping of feet helped the boys to realize that all the fans were behind them.



The eighth grade basketball team has had a very fine season this year. Each boy had the desire to work with the team, and learn new skills. These boys also worked hard on their various subjects in the classroom.

Eighth Grade Chiefs Have Exciting Year



This year's Junior Chiefs team was composed of some of Franklin's finest boys. During the season, the boys worked hard, both during the games and in the classrooms. The boys worked under the direction of Mr. Ault, who gave much time and effort to help these boys achieve their peaks of endurance, skill, and sportsmanship. The players on the team were Willard Dahl, Bill Shumaker, John Savio, Mike Keller, Bruce Geeting, David Boggs, Rick Wells, Kent Wolfe, Dave Hoffer, Fred Knight, Dave Burns, and Richard Wai- kel. The managers for the team were Roy Kemp and Frank Akey. Much praise goes to these boys who had such a winning record this year and who played so well.

These boys really had fun this year in learning the fundamentals of flag football. With so many boys interested, the coach, Mr. Ault had much choosing to do for a final team.



The ninth grade cheerleaders led the other students in a cheer before one of this year's basketball games in our gym. The girls perfected their leading of the

old cheers and taught many new ones as they cheered their team to victory during this year's basketball season.

Cheerleaders Enliven Sports With Their Cheers

Go! Chiefs! Go! is a familiar cry heard by the cheerleaders as they lead the students in pep sessions as well as at basketball and football games. These girls help to organize the noise as the team strives to win. The girls are most proud as they wear white skirts and sweaters with the Franklin "F" on the sweater.

Many interested girls practiced every night for several weeks early in the year to prepare for the tryouts. The judges had a hard decision to make as they needed to choose twelve girls from the large group of those who were interested. Needless to say, those chosen were very thrilled.

The ninth grade cheerleaders were Marsha Dill, Connie Stamanis, Earlene Dunbar, Kathy Hanshew, Candy Volmerding, and Debbie Lyons who served as captain. The seventh and eighth grade cheerleaders were Jeanine Neuman, Susie Pister, Linda Lees, Susie McAtee, Linda Meredith, and Sally Shepler who was elected by the girls as their captain.



The seventh and eighth grade cheerleaders show one of their many interesting formations which they use in leading the various cheers at a game.

Extra-curricular activities which take place during the seventh period of the day have become a large and important part of Franklin's program. This year students enjoyed participating in their choice of over thirty clubs. A sense of responsibility and a need to get along with others resulted from club membership. The types of clubs varied so that all students could find a club that interested them.

Walking down the hall during the seventh period, the sounds of a ball bouncing in the Ping Pong Club or the shouts of the girls in GAA were just a few of the sounds which could be heard. Students who were involved in the activities knew the fun and enjoyment awaiting anyone who joined a club.



Activities Provide Opportunities For Students



The editors look over the different parts of the yearbook to make certain everything is in order and that a good yearbook is ready for the students on the day designated for distribution of the 1964 Kite 'n Key.



Two large sections of work on the yearbook are copy and activities. The copy staff is responsible for writing all the paragraphs of the yearbook, and the activities staff is responsible for planning all of the pictures for the annual.

Kite 'n Key Staff Works Long Hours



The 1964 Kite 'n Key has required many long hours of work from the yearbook staff. However, the staff has enjoyed the opportunity to help in preparing this book and has enjoyed many of the experiences. Learning to work together as a staff and sharing ideas have been two outgrowths of work on the Kite 'n Key staff. Mrs. Carol Rohrbaugh advised the staff again this year.

One of the first things that the staff had to do was choose a theme and cover idea and then carry this idea throughout the book. This work started before the actual subscription campaign was held. Then work in circulation, art, sports, activities, and copy sections began. Each member of the staff was assigned a certain position.

Persons on the circulation staff planned the yearbook's campaign. When the campaign started, they kept records on the sales of yearbooks and records of the money.

Diligent Work Prepares School Paper

In preparing for the four page newspaper, the Franklin Post, which is issued monthly, writers put in many hours of work. The staff met on Tuesday of each week. Mrs. Margaret Wiggs directed the staff and helped the new members with their grammar, punctuation, and writing style. All of this was an excellent learning situation for the members, and it resulted in an excellent newspaper.

Staff members could be seen in the halls with pencils and papers, ready to conduct an opinion poll or interview a teacher about his club or activity. Other members of the staff counted headlines and pasted galleys on the make-up sheets which were then sent to the printer.

Distribution day was the fourth Wednesday of each month. Every Franklinite received a copy of every issue of the Post and always looked forward to the next issue.



Some of the members of the staff work diligently to meet the deadline which is always pushing those on a newspaper staff.



These are the members of the Post staff who have done the gathering of the news, writing of the news, and putting together of the paper. Classroom news,

athletics, and special events were all of interest to these reporters as they worked to make the Post interesting and informative.



These are the students who were chosen to represent the other members of their homerooms at the weekly student council meetings.



The officers of this year's student council discuss the approaching meeting of the group with their advisor, Miss Elizabeth Shaner.

Student Activities Lead Toward Success

Franklin's student council played an important part in this year's activities. The group was made up of a representative and alternate from each homeroom. The council was led by president, Larry Clark; vice-president, Tawne Holloway; and secretary, Sherry Harter. Many other council members served as chairmen or as members of various committees appointed by the officers to work on various projects throughout the year. The council drew up a constitution which will be put to use in the years to come for the student body.

The Future Teachers of America Club met in Mr. Phillips' room, since Mr. Phillips along with Mrs. Polhamus served as sponsor of the organization. The club is mainly for those students who feel that they are interested in becoming a teacher. During the past year, films on the teaching profession were shown, a student teacher addressed the group giving her ideas on teaching, and other interesting programs were held.

These students who are interested in becoming future teachers have gained much knowledge of the teaching profession through their meetings this past year.



Students Enjoy Participating in Language Clubs

During the past year students in the Latin Club had done several projects. Among these are doing crossword puzzles, singing Latin songs, and learning about Roman customs and festivals. Not only students taking Latin have participated but also students looking to Latin as a possible future subject have participated. Mrs. Chandler is the sponsor of the club.

The Spanish Club, directed by Mrs. Springer has been very busy. Along with a Spanish Christmas party they learned about bullfighting in Spain, customs south of the border, and other Spanish ideas. They made a mural for Spring.

Victorie! Victorie! You can hear this phrase coming from the French room. This is a game just like bingo, but it is in French. The students in the club, which is headed by Mrs. Shaw, have fun listening to records in French also.



The French Club has fun learning the basic skills and techniques of the French language. They have educational experiences corresponding with pen pals in various parts of France.



Members of the Spanish Club have fun while they learn customs of different countries. Here they observe a pinata made by one of the members.

Reviewing Latin projects has taught many things to the Latin Club members. A member of the club models a Roman toga made by one of the Latin students.



Various Clubs Help Students Develop Skills

The Speed Reading Club works on comprehension and vocabulary. They also work to improve their speed. Their director, Miss Minsel, enjoys meeting with them and aiding them in their reading.

The students who have joined the Library Club work before and after school. They learn the skills of the library. They repair and shelve the books. Mrs. Anderson is their advisor.

Mrs. Bauman directs the Knitting Club. The girls learn the various steps involved in knitting various items. Mrs. William Arney assisted Mrs. Bauman at each meeting, and Mrs. Russel James and Mrs. Kenneth Trenner also assisted at various meetings.

Library Club members learn the skills of the library. The main purpose of this organization is to learn the techniques of the library procedures.



Speed Reading Club members develop skills of speed and comprehension in reading. Developing the vocabulary of the members and working on different phases of reading is the main purpose of this club. The Thursday night club is sponsored by Miss Minsel.



Members of the Knitting Club display some of their equipment used in knitting. One member is most

proud of the sweater which she has knitted. Other members have also made similar projects.



Students Join Clubs Which Will Be Of Future Help

The German Club is in its first year and is getting a good start. The members enlarge their vocabulary of German each week by learning different conversational phrases. The members enjoy their new vocabulary and feel that they may someday have an even greater use for it. Mr. Kuhn is the instructor.

The Magic Club also meets with Mr. Kuhn. These members try to prove that the hand is quicker than the eye as they try their tricks on each other. Some of the tricks involve the use of equipment such as ropes, coins, or cards.

The members of the Dramatics Club have enjoyed themselves by reading and rehearsing several one act plays. They have done comedies, farces, and more serious types of plays. Nearly every member is given the opportunity to portray a character in the plays given.



The students of the German Club try to figure out the German expression on the blackboard. Pronunciation is also a task to be accomplished in learning a new language.

The members of the Dramatics Club enjoy being in plays as well as watching other members perform. Some of the characters are displaying their ability in enacting a short play.



Top hats are old-fashioned when it comes to the displays these students give. Cleverness and fun do a fine job in entertaining these magicians.



The members of the Pen Pal Club write and receive many interesting letters. They measure the distance their letters must travel to reach their destination, which is sometimes around the world.



The members of the Trip and Travel Club discuss various countries and peoples which they would like to visit after the school bell rings for the last time in June.

Students Write, Type And Travel

The Pen Pal Club has given its members a chance to make new friends. They have exchanged photos, small gifts, cards, and ideas with their penpals. The members have just completed a world map on which they located the homes of their new friends. Letters travel from Fort Yukon on the Arctic Circle to near Adelaide in New South Wales, Australia. The club is sponsored by Mrs. Goodwin.

If one has seen a student carrying a typewriter to school, he may very well be a member of the

The Trip and Travel Club consists of students who like to travel and want to know more about it. Their sponsor, Mr. Doherty, enjoys talking to them concerning travel and helps them plan to take trips.

The students in the Typing Club learn the fundamentals and skills of typing. Their advisor, Mr. Reibs, also teaches them to care for their typewriters.

Typing Club. These students look forward to typing their reports some day.



Clubs Emphasize Many Different Interests

One can always tell when The Stamp and Coins, Archery, or Ping Pong Clubs meet because of the eager sound of the voices of the members adding their ideas to the others presented.

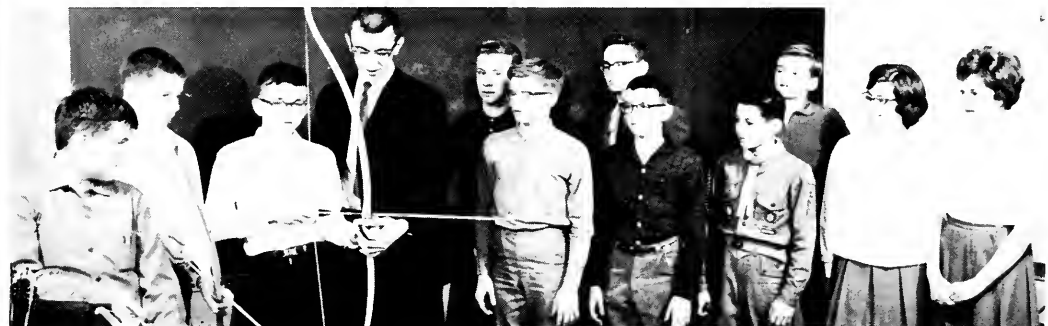
The members of the Stamp and Coins Club spent their club time showing their collections and trading with the other members in the club. Mr. Willer, the club sponsor, met with the club.

The Archery Club did most of its shooting at Franke Park. Even on rainy or snowy days the Archery Club participated in their sport by using a pavilion at the park. The sponsor was Mr. Ginder.

Under the direction of Mr. Young, the Ping Pong Club members developed a great skill in their sport.



Various members of the Stamps and Coins Club inspect and display various kinds of coins collected throughout the year.



The technique of shooting an arrow is shown by members of the Archery Club. Each member pro-

vided his own bow and proceeded to learn the skill of becoming an accurate archer.

The members of the Ping Pong Club are getting a lesson in the correct technique for holding the paddle. The members of the club set up their tables in

the cafeteria each week and then enjoyed themselves as they played, remembering the fundamentals they learned during the past year.





There is an odor of glue in the room when the Model Hobby Club meets. The boys trade their ideas and skills as they work on their various types of models.



Students are pretty tricky with their pencils when it comes to working an equation. Even though work is involved, fun is an outcome of the meetings.

Hobbies, Math, Sales Interest Members



The homeroom agents of this year's Kite 'n Key worked industriously at the beginning of the year for a 100 per cent in the sale of the yearbook to their homeroom.

The students in the Math Club have done many interesting projects in the past year. Their instructor, Mr. Weaver, has taught them many new skills in math such as making the complicated hexahexaflexagram. The math students have played many exciting games such as Math-o, a game similar to Bingo.

The Model Hobby Club meets in the shop with Mr. Krueckeberg and Mr. Piepenbrink. The members of this club construct various models. Some of the models they work on are cars, boats, and airplanes. The tools in the shop are used in the construction of these models.

Kite'n Key agents work very hard in early November, so they can have a 100 per cent in subscribers. This year Mrs. Chandler's homeroom had reached this goal on the first day. Each student in the room received two candy bars.



The present ninth grade chorus members will miss presenting programs to the student body next year. They have had good experience in performing before

groups with the year's program of school musical programs and evening concerts. North Side High School's gain will be Franklin's loss.

Singers Add Enjoyment To School Programs

During the course of the past school year, the Franklin chorus has presented many interesting programs at school. The chorus is composed of eighth and ninth grade students. Miss Mary Glen Fleming, director of the large group, has spent much time selecting music that would please students, teachers, and parents. The chorus group meets to practice every other day during the regular school day.

The glee club also has been busy this year. They have selected interesting songs to sing for their enjoyment. They practice each week with Mrs. Mary Alice Dick, their director. This group of 20 students is preparing for the school chorus as well as just singing for enjoyment.

Glee Club members enjoy singing and trying new music. Their group is not particularly large but each member contributes his talent.



Constant Practice By Instrumental Group

Franklin has many fine musicians and the large majority of them is found in these three musical groups: the band, the orchestra, and the Chief band. The student body, along with the faculty and parents of Franklin, greatly appreciate their activities which add a large measure of enjoyment to programs at Franklin.

The members of the instrumental groups are not required to take private lessons, but many of them do. In this way, they become more accomplished musicians which aids them as instrumentalists and also improves the quality of the music of the band. Many of the members of the various groups entered the solo and ensemble contest held each year in the city. Many of them received high ratings.



Franklin has taken great pride in its various instrumental groups, particularly the band. This group,

The Chief band is composed of seventh grade students. This band is preparatory to the band, and it is in this band where the musicians learn the funda-

mentals of music. The members of this band enjoy playing in this group and performing at various programs during the school year.



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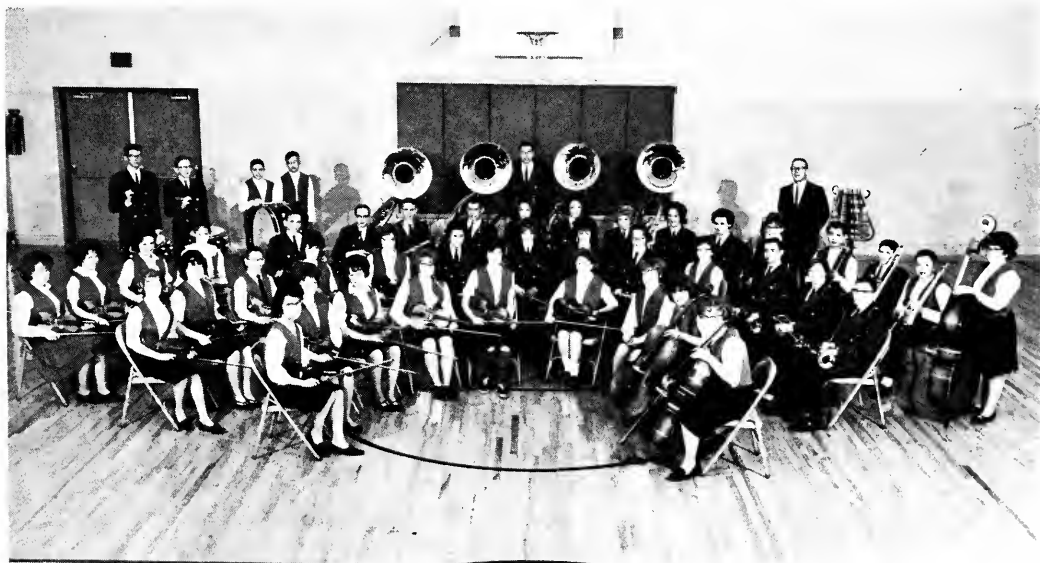


under the direction of Mr. Hopkins, has performed at many functions of our school this year. Their excellent music was heard at basketball games, assem-

bies, and concerts. The band practices every other day as a part of the regular school day. It is composed of eighth grade and ninth grade students.

The combination of strings and other instruments has brought good music to the students and parents of Franklin this year as the orchestra performed for

them. This group practiced once a week during the activity period so that members would be ready for the next program.





The girls' sextet performed in many of the programs given for the students of Franklin this year. They are under the direction of Miss Mary Glen Fleming. The girls were particularly proud of their new red jumpers which they purchased this year.



The eighth and ninth grade boys in the octet have met every Monday night with Miss Fleming to perfect their skill of singing. They have participated in the music assemblies during the past year for Franklin students.

Musical Groups Perform In Many Assemblies



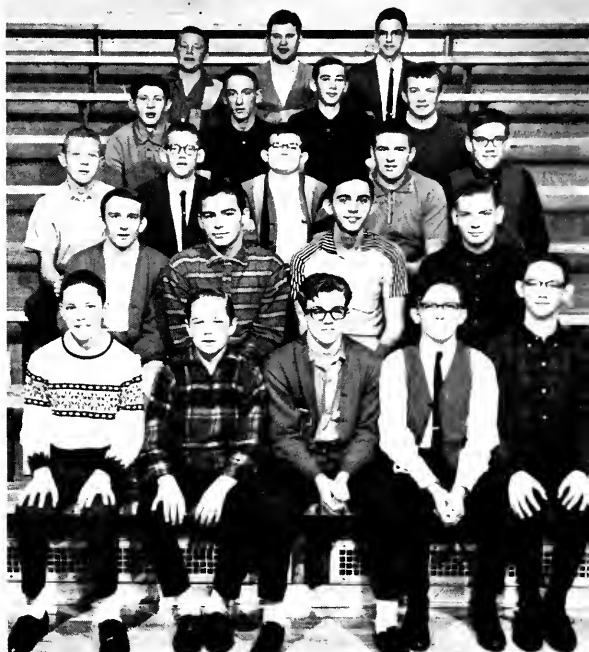
The dance band or stage band, a newly organized group this year, is under the direction of Mr. Hopkins. This group performed at the Winter Concert

and at the Christmas assembly. The student body is looking forward to the assemblies next year in which they will participate.

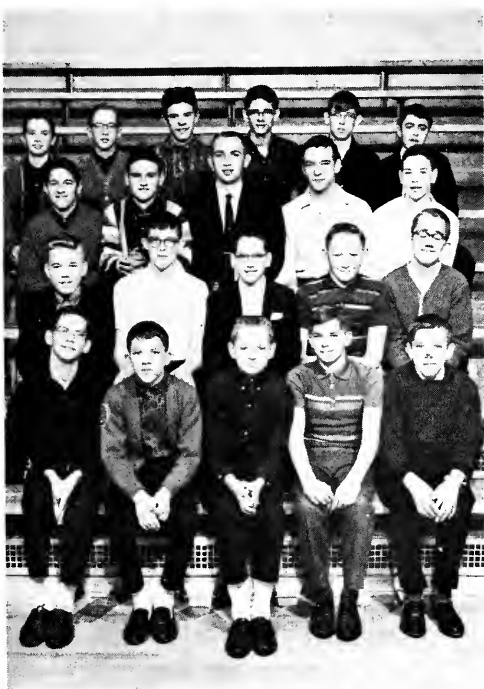
Many Boys Participate In Intramural Program

Physical fitness and good sportsmanship are just two of the goals of Franklin's boys' intramural program. The three grades of our school meet in separate groups of intramurals. Their activities are similar, including basketball, bowling, bombardment, and wrestling. They also have an annual wrestling tournament.

The coaches of the three groups are seventh grade, Mr. Ault; eighth grade, Mr. Overmeyer; and ninth grade, Mr. Riley. These coaches see that the boys learn the fundamentals of the various sports and the techniques of clean play and good sportsmanship.



This year a fine group of ninth grade boys strove to achieve their individual and team success in such sports as basketball and wrestling.



These eighth grade intramural boys improved their skills in many sports activities during the year. Physical exercise was a major goal of the group.



Seventh grade boys learned the basis of individual sportsmanship and team effort in various sports in intramurals.



Many active seventh grade girls take part in G.A.A., which gives them an opportunity to become acquainted with other students and to learn good sportsmanship in different sports.



Eighth grade girls take part in many different activities offered to them in Tuesday night's G.A.A. meetings. They develop good sportsmanship and physical fitness in their weekly games.

Enthusiastic Girls Participate In G.A.A.

Members of the Girls' Athletic Association meet several nights a week and enjoy participating in various sports. The girls learn the basic fundamentals and rules of the various games. Some of the sports in which the girls take part are basketball, volleyball, bowling, tennis, tumbling, and other physical exercises. They also learn the importance of good

sportsmanship and team efforts in competitive sports. They work under the direction of Mrs. Schone and Miss Miller, physical education instructors. The seventh and eighth grade girls look forward to the day when they will be able to compete in games against girls of other junior high schools as the ninth grade girls do.



The girls in the ninth grade participate in the many activities of G.A.A. They meet two nights a week and have numerous types of activities.

Franklin students have found this year another successful one for gaining knowledge and understanding. The ninth grade students found that more was expected of them as their subjects required more study and careful thinking in preparation for each day. They found that they were now the leaders of the various student organizations and needed to accept new responsibilities.

The eighth grade students also worked more seriously and realized that they must consider their goals as they began to plan their ninth grade subjects.

The seventh grade students found themselves in a new environment, the junior high. Passing classes, having homework assignments, and opening lockers were just a few of the new aspects of school life. The students of all three classes, however, found the opportunity to learn presented to them.



Opportunity To Obtain Education Available

Upperclassmen



Martha Ackley



James Albert



Pamela Archer



Mike Argerbright



Steve Argerbright



Kathleen Arms



Marcia Armstrong



Rhea Arndt



Pattie Arney



Karen Arnold



Norma Atkinson



Eddie Bankson



Jerry Baugher



Marsha Beber



Nannette Beck



Joel Bechtold



Bill Beckman



Pamela Beebe



William Bell



Kay Penedict



Richard Berndt



Tom Berndt



Jimmy Betts



Diana Biddle



Rita Bodkin



Linda Bosserman



Gary Bowman



Dianna Brewer



John Brincefield



James Brown

Attained New Knowledge . . .

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Cynthia Bruns



Brenda Bryan



Dennis Burden



Gerald Burns



Pamela Butler



Stephen Cady



Mary Campbell



Robert Cantrell



Elaine Castle



Mary Ann Cates



Roy Cates



Teania Cathers



Barbara Clark



Barry Clark



Larry Clark



Sharon Clay



Gary Clifton



Cathy Closson



Betty Cochren



Daniel Coleman



Kathleen Cook



Larry Cook



Lynn Covey



Al Crawford



Robert Dager



Kathy Dale



Roderick Day



Roger Deveau



Marsha Dill



Ray Dobbs

Established High Goals . . .



Kim Drudge



Earlene Dunbar



Steve Ecenbarger



Steve Eddington



Jacque Eiser



Kenneth Ellis



Wilma Eloph



Jon Fair



Earl Farmer



Sandra Felger



Raymond Fink



John Fitzgerald



Carole Fleck



Sam Foreman



Boneta Fox



Joyce Fryer



Don Galbreath



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David Gaskill



Larry Gaskill



Dianne Gebert



Ed Gebhard



Patricia Geise



Tom Gepfert



Ron Gilbert



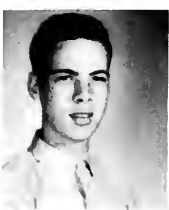
Fred Gonzales



Bob Goodwin



Sandra Gratz



Thomas Gray



Janice Green

Developed Various Skills . . .



Sharon Green



Marcy Grove



Diana Haag



Karen Hamner



Kathy Hanshew



Tom Hanshew



Gil Hardesty



Charlotte Hardiek



Jerry Harding



Sandra Harris



Dale Harter



Gary Harter



Vickie Hartwig



Judy Hawk



Barbara Head



Kathy Heim



Carolyn Held



Howard Herendeen



Jerry Hertig



Jerry Hite



Michael Hoban



Tawne Holloway



Tom Holmes



Sandra Hopper



Linda Horner



Margie House



Luther Hunley



Robert Igney



Richard Insley



Janice Johnson

Ventured in Activities . . .



Steve Johnson



Joan Johnston



Donna Jones



Sharon Kattas



Mike Kelder



Clara Kemp



Ellen Kimmel



Brenda King



Greg Kinsey



Martha Koontz



Charlene Krider



Charles Krider



Danny Kumfer



Sheryl Ladig



Barb Landsaw



Linda Lantz



Barb Lapadot



Pat Lasley



Kathleen Lauer



Leon Lechleidner



James Lloyd



Chris Lochner



Patricia Logan



Bob Lombard



Max Lombard



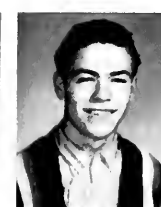
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Gerald McClellan

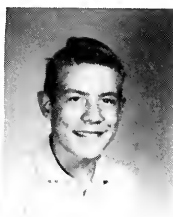


Starr McFarland

Participated in Sports . . .



Gary McKeever



Jim McMeans



Jennie McSorley



Donna Malott



David Meisner



Ralph Meredith



Teresa Metzger



Danny Meyers



Susan Minyard



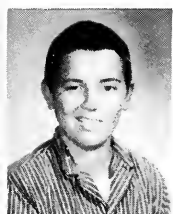
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Jim Moore



Sandra Moreland



Gary Morgan



Christine Morris



Ron Morrison



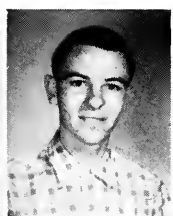
Tom Morrison



Ruth Morse



Lynne Mossburg



Mike Nitzsche



Diana Norris



James Norton



Don Oberkiser



Marc Overmyer



Pamela Palmer



Gary Partin



Robert Peck



Mary Ann Pelz



Richard Pierce



Rodney Poinsett



Belinda Pontius

Studied Earnestly . . .



Darrell Post



Dan Pulver



Marvin Racine



Penny Radke



Karen Rajcany



Robert Read



Dave Rennecker



Robert Renner



Sharon Reuille



Phyllis Roddy



Clifford Rogers



Rodger Rouns



Geneva Runyon



Dave Rust



Robert Ryder



Steve Schaefer



James Scheil



Patricia Scheil



Pam Schmidt



Alene Schneider



Diane Schneider



John Schneider



Steve Schneider



John Seely



Linda Setzer



Andy Shepelak



Catherine Shoaf



Terry Simpson



Dale Sims



Jill Singewald



Steven Skees



Linda Sloan



Christine Smith



David Smith



Mary Sue Smith



Janice Snyder



Marilyn Snyder



Glen Spangler



Linda Spice



Donna Sproat



Constance Stamanis



Robert Stanton



Kenny Statler



Rebecca Stelhorn



David Stewart



Cheryl Subsda



Mary Sutorius



Brenda Sutton



Katrina Swink



Beverly Thompson



Dave Thompson



Steve Thurston



Sharon Tonak



Phillip Tracey



Jo Ann Trenner



Jerry Trigg



Tom VanGorder



Bonnie Vanover



Candice Volmerding



Connie Welch



Pat Werling



Dennis Whiteleather



Janet Widmeyer



John Wilder



Marilyn Williams



Diane Winebrenner



Carol Witzigreuter



Steven Worrell



Waneta Wright



Glenn Wysong



Jerry Yoder



Sandra Zimmerman



Barbara Zion



Cynthia Zurbrugg



Cherry Zuecher

Mathematics is an essential subject for everyone as students in Mr. Young's math class are learning. The field of mathematics is changing with every

new day, and students learn new types of problems, the different ways to solve them, and how to apply math in their daily lives.



Eighth Grade



Frank Akey
Suerita Amburgey
Connie Archer
Richard Armstrong
Linda Arndt
Sharon Baney

Vonna Bankson
Carolyn Barnett
Larry Bashop
Craig Baumgardner
Michael Bernhardt
Charles Bevington

Susan Beyer
Linda Blodgett
Leslie Bock
Evelyn Bodkin
Rickie Bogard
David Boggs

Deborah Boggs
Victoria Bojnoff
Darlene Bosserman
Danny Bourne
Marla Brantum
Catherine Brown

Karen Burelison
David Burns
Marshall Bush
Mary Busian
Sally Cadwallader
Linda Calhoun

Gregory Christoffel
Deanna Claphan
Jody Clay
Sharon Coleman
Deborah Colley
Penny Conrad

Gregory Cook
Howard Cottier
Jack Covault
Donald Cox
Willard Dahl
Lise Davignon

Evertt Davis
Evelyn Dey
Dale Dietz
Mildred Dixon
Earline Domer
Tom Durbin



Jerry Durnell
Peggy Eaton
Frances Edwards
Dewayne Egly
David Emrich
Geraldine Erskine

Carla Falls
Mary Federspiel
Valerie Felger
Kenneth Fletter
William Floyd
Michael Pollis

Debra Ford
Terry Fowler
Theresa France
Carol Furniss
Stanley Furniss
Tanya Galloway

Kay Gardenour
Bruce Getting
Diane Gernhardt
Jerry Gibson
Thomas Gibson
Jerry Gilbert

Josephine Gonser
Connie Goodin
Patricia Gray
Stephanie Green
Alan Hagopian
Pauline Halquist

Kay Halter
Carol Hammond
Karen Hand
Eyvonne Hardy
Bruce Hare
Daniel Harper

Vonda Harrold
Anna Hart
Sherry Harter
Tom Harter
Deborah Hartley
Alice Headrick

Eugene Headrick
Janet Heck
Sue Henderson
Dennis Hendrickson
Fawn Hershberger
Ronald Hershberger



Robert Hixon
Beverly Hoagland
David Hoffer
Kathy Holmes
Ann Holse
Dennis Holycross



Larry Horner
Kathleen Hosford
David Hudson
Lois Huffman
Curtis Hunley
Luther Hunter



Beth Hutson
Mary Jackson
Janet Jacobs
Joann Jacobs
Deloris Jeffries
Evelyn Jeffries



Rebecca Jeffries
Nancee Jennings
Howard Johnson
Mary Jones
Bennie Jordan
Wesley Keeran



Marilyn Kelder
Beverly Keller
Michael Keller
Cassie Kelley
William Kelley
Steven Keltsch



Stephanie Kern
Diana Kilty
Fred Kimmerly
Bonnie King
Fred King
Dennis Kinsey



Linda Kline
Fred Knight
Dietmar Knott
Michael Konkle
Vicki Kring
Carol Kronmiller



Thomas Kuruda
Bob LaLone
Brenda Lamb
Mildred Lawson
Rosetta Lawson
Ronald Lee



Linda Lees
Mary Lehrman
Gloria Leist
Virgil Lipscomb
Mickey Lloyd
David Lock



Steven Loechner
James Logan
Ella Long
John Long
Ruth Longardner
Margaret Lyons



Susan McAtee
Joyce McCurdy
John McFarren
Sandra McFarren
Tamara McKeever
Charles Markey



Robert Mason
Charlene Meadows
Arlene Medsker
Linda Meredith
Sharon Meyers
Cynthia Milledge



Perry Miller
Tamara Mills
Alan Minyard
Edna Morse
Gloria Mowan
Sharon Mowan



Beverly Mowery
Eugene Mowry
Craig Netzley
Cheryl Norton
Ernest Osborne
Tommy Pappert



Linda Peek
Shirrell Petgen
Mike Peterson
Allen Pfothenauer
William Pfothenauer
Beverly Phillips



Linda Poff
Richard Poinsett
John Potts
Rita Puff
Brenda Rauscher
Howard Reaser



Sherrill Renner
Kay Rentschler
Shirley Roop
Monika Rundel
Conchita Salud
John Savio



Charles Saylor
Darlene Saylor
Ruth Scheele
Pamela Schindler
Sharon Schneider
Karen Schreiber



William Schumaker
James Schutt
Vicki Schwalm
Terry Secrest
Kenton Shaw
Gregory Sheets



Sally Shepler
Donald Showalter
Sandra Simpson
Steven Simpson
Joseph Simon
Victoria Sloan



Pamela Smead
Cindy Smith
Marla Smith
Robert Smith
Steven Smoak
Rita Snyder



Sanda Sowers
Barbara Sroufe
Pamela Stanton
Rosalinda Stanton
Nick Starnes
Tom Starnes



Linda Stier
Twyla Stier
Donald Stone
Valerie Stonebreaker
Pamela Streets
Linda Strouse



Dianna Sylvester
Ralph Taylor
Robert Taylor
Joann Thomas
Cora Thompson
Mary Tope



Robert Turner
Sandra Updyke
Diana Upton
Fred Volkman
Richard Waikel
Bruce Warwick

Marsha Watson
Sherry Weaver
Terence Webb
Deborah Weick
Sharon Weisenburger
Larry Wells

Ricky Wells
Larry Wheeler
Patricia Wheeler
Thomas Whitner
Don Williams
John Wilson

Suann Wood
Geraldine Woods
Susan Wrisk
Harvey Ziegler

Teachers participate in the sport of bowling in the Teachers' Bowling League every Tuesday evening. Averages vary greatly among teachers, but they all share the enjoyment and relaxation of the game.

Lunch time is a very important time of the day. During this time students not only have time to eat and rest but also to meet with friends for a few minutes to talk over the day's events.



Seventh Grade



Cynthia Alford
Deborah Anderson
Bonnie Angel
Billy Atkinson
Richard Babcock
Thomas Baker

Linda Bankson
Kenneth Barnett
Ricky Battell
Joyce Beatty
Timothy Beck
Annette Bell

Karen Belschner
Edward Benedict
Kim Betts
Homer Bickle
Phillip Biddle
Lynell Bienz

William Blosser
Robert Bodine
Clyde Bowlin
Cheryl Bracht
Jay Bridgewater
Carl Brown

Duane Brown
Sandra Brown
Steve Brown
John Buckley
Michael Bufink
Lillian Buhr

Terry Bumgardner
Jerry Burget
Vicky Cady
Deborah Canfield
Michael Cary
Bruce Choka

Ronald Clark
Pamela Clary
Roger Cole
Marsha Cooley
Bobette Coolman
Thomas Cottier

Peggy Cox
James Craig
Kathy Crawford
Charles Crooks
Donald Davis
Lucinda Davis



Roxanne Day
Linda Dornick
Duane Eby
Karl Eichel
Kathie Elkins
Dennis Emrich



Deborah Erskine
Cynthia Espinosa
Barbara Faudree
Deborah Fiantt
Richard Flaugh
Stanley Flood



Linda Foltz
Bruce Foster
Linda France
Jolange Franken
Karen Frantz
Jill Fudge



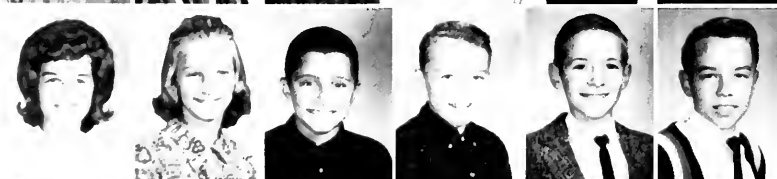
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Kathy Fuhrman
Cathea Geeting
Eric Geiger
Sandra Getts
Malinda Gibson



Betty Gillespie
John Gleason
Dennis Glenn
Rebecca Glock
Christine Gooley
Michael Gossett



Keith Granldenard
Verna Green
Katherine Greene
Judy Grider
Tanna Gronau
John Grosjean



Valerie Hageboeck
Deborah Hall
Douglas Hall
James Hall
Thomas Halquist
Garry Harshbarger



Eugene Hartzell
Patricia Headrick
Michael Heim
Kim Helmke
Mary Hill
Michael Hinkle



Cheryl Hite
 Billy Hobbs
 Mark Holmes
 Linda Hopper
 Joyce Horner
 Kathleen Houser



Keith Hughes
 Timothy Hughes
 William Hughes
 Cherie Hutson
 Kenneth Jackson
 Steven Jantz



Jennifer Jay
 Carolyn Johnson
 Patricia Johnson
 Roger Johnson
 Deborah Jones
 Denise Jones



Linda Jubinville
 Carol Justice
 Carol Kattas
 Roy Kemp
 Cary Kennell
 Colleen Kilty



Thomas King
 Sharleen Klemke
 Gary Koontz
 Ellen Kreigh
 David Kruse
 Arthur Kuehnert



Dorothy Landsaw
 Mary Lasley
 Rhoda Lawson
 Fred Leach
 Martha Lee
 Bruce LeSure



Gail Lochner
 Michael Lockhart
 James Luyben
 Marion McCarty
 Phyllis McCarty
 Cheryl McClain



Daniel McCord
 Nanette McCard
 Gregory McNeal
 Ricky McSorley
 Valerie Mankey
 Michael Marten



Steven Marten
Gary Mast
Cindy Matter
Dan Maurer
Edwana Meisner
Carolyn Metzger



Mark Middleton
David Miller
Dennis Miller
Larry Miller
Patricia Miller
Pamela Mills



Dennis Moist
Cheryl Monnier
Ladawna Morrison
Catherine Mossburg
Colleen Murphy
Carolyn Myers



Paul Nailor
William Neat
Peggy Nelson
Jeanine Neumann
Dale Newman
Kerry Niman



David Norris
Jean Jacquelyn Orcutt
Pamela Ormes
Myron Osborne
Linda Ott
Debi Overmyer



Everett Padgett
Russell Palmer
Jane Pelz
Gary Peppler
Karen Pickering
Susan Pitser



Vickey Potter
Warren Potts
Patrick Quinn
Frank Rajcany
Nancy Ratcliff
Carolyn Rathert



Raymond Reaser
Gloria Reed
Mickey Reese
Barbara Renner
Steven Reuille
David Rhodes



Richard Rider
Edward Robinson
Linda Rogers
Gary Romine
Mary Runyon
Joyce Ryan



William Salmon
Gary Sampson
Linda Sanders
Arlene Saylor
Cecilia Saylor
Francella Schoch



Vicki Schreiber
Laurie Schrey
Steven Schroff
Robert Schultz
Gary SeCheverell
David Seey



Laura Sharpe
Jeffory Sheets
Donald Sherman
Donald Shumaker
Michael Sievers
Deborah Simcoe



Alan Simerman
Susan Skekloff
Richard Sloan
Susan Smead
Linda Smith
Pamela Smith



Shirley Smith
Sidney Smith
Susan Smith
Toni Smith
Sherry Snyder
Jani Squires



Lynn Stemen
Dennis Stoiche
Linda Streets
Randy Stuckey
Debra Subda
Joseph Svec



Raymond Sylvester
Patrick Talarico
Patrick Taylor
Karen Tegtmeyer
Gerald Tonak
Lea Ann Treesh



Judith Tripoli
Roger Turner
Claire Ungerer
John Vinson
Judith Walker
Roger Walker

Charles Waltemath
Judy Walter
Ules Warner
Eddie Warnick
Rose Watson
Steven Weaver

Robert Webb
Douglas Wellman
Susan Wetzel
Diane Whisler
Marsha Whiteleather
Carol Wilhelm

Charles Williams
Janet Williams
Betsy Wilson
Gloria Wilson
Paul Wilson
Linda Winebrenner

Janis Wood
Lora Wooten
Richard Yoder
Leigh Anne Ziege
Michael Zimmerlee
Kay Zimmerman

Roland Zion
Marcia Zollars



Coach Dave Riley has just given instructions to his team as they get ready to begin their game with Fairfield



Mrs. Chandler explains to bewildered students the mysterious terms of conjugations of verbs and declensions of nouns.

Many People Contribute To Our Success



Members of the sextet and their alternates practice many hours before each musical performance during the school year. Miss Mary Glen Fleming serves as director for the group.



The busy life of a teacher includes, among other things, grading papers, a huge job, which results in discovering how well students comprehend the subjects being studied.

And so another school year is rapidly drawing to a close. Perhaps one of the greatest ideas which we have learned this year is that "no man is an island unto himself." A successful school consists of good administrators, teachers, students, organizations, athletic teams, publications, music groups, and many other people, all contributing to make Franklin a great school.



. . . And So Another Year Ends

